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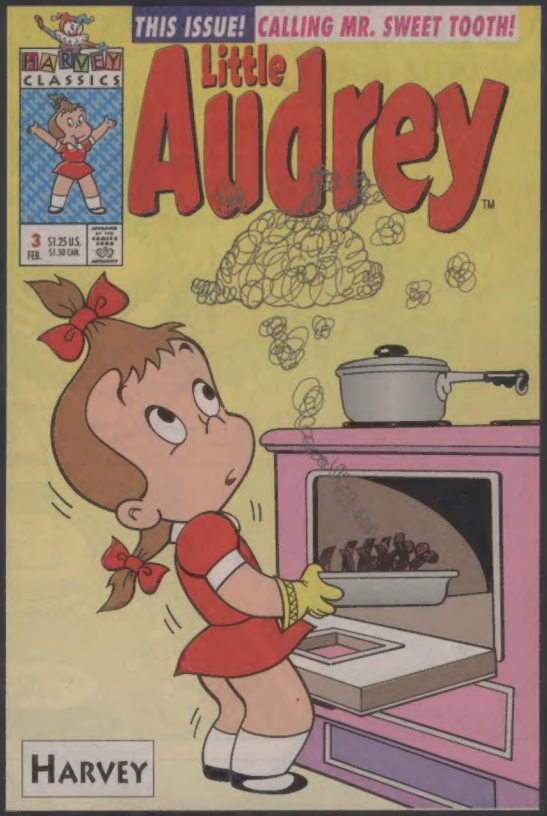
THE GOOD LITTLE WITCH
IN
GREAT GOOEY
THINGS ARE SO PLEASANTLY QUIET IN THE ENCHANTED FOREST TODAY!
L-LOOK!
A FLYING SAUCER!
FLOK!
AND IT'S LANDING NEAR HERE!
GOLLY WENDY! WHAT'S THAT COMING OUT OF IT?
IT'S A GIGANTIC CREATURE!

THE MISS IN MISCHIEF!



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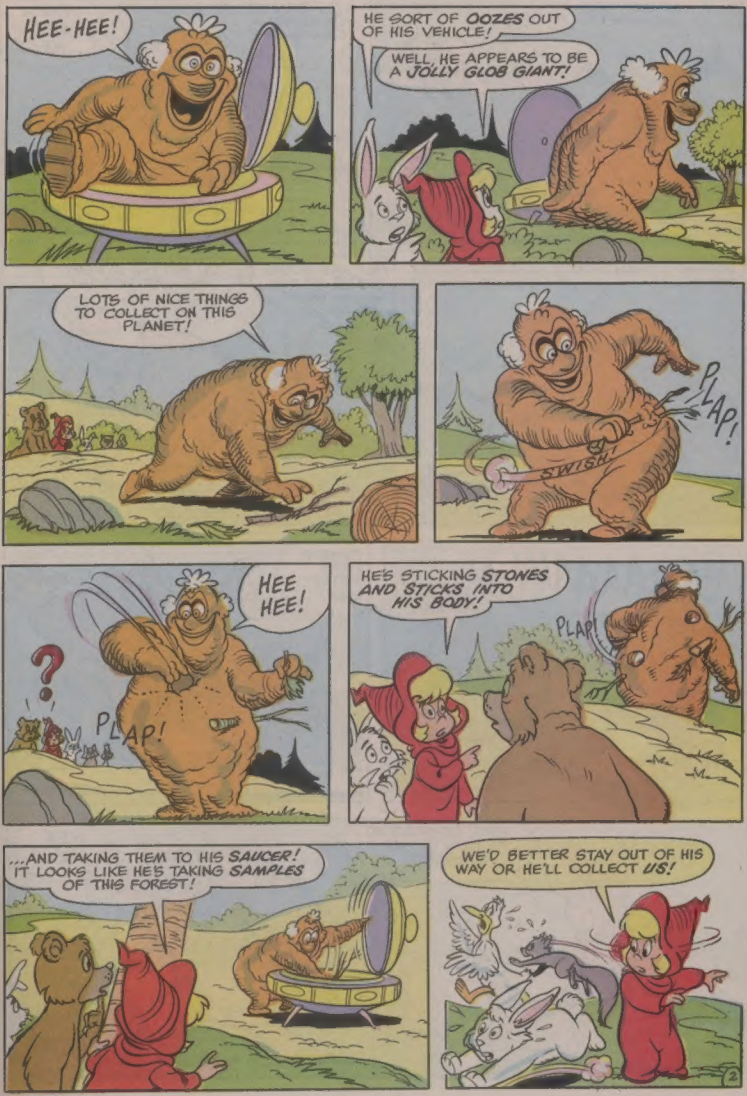
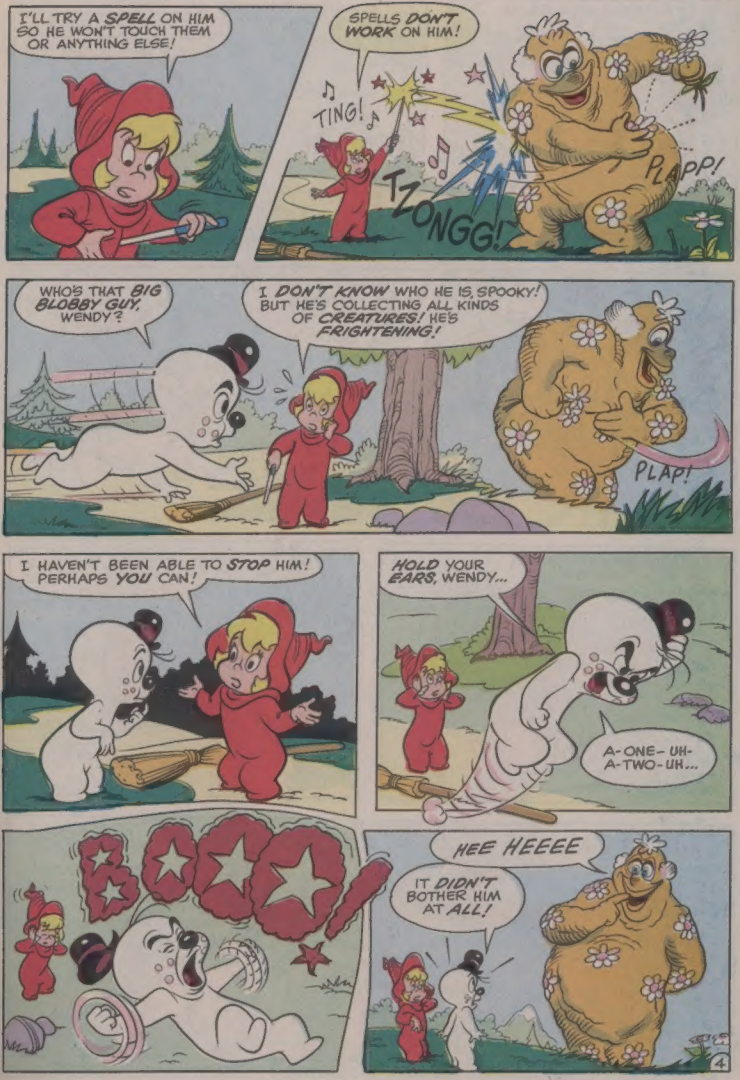

HEE-HEE!
HE SORT OF OOZES OUT OF HIS VEHICLE!
WELL, HE APPEARS TO BE A JOLLY GLOB GIANT!
LOTS OF NICE THINGS TO COLLECT ON THIS PLANET!
SWISH
PLAP!
HEE HEE!
?
PLAP!
HE'S STICKING STONES AND STICKS INTO HIS BODY!
PLAP!
...AND TAKING THEM TO HIS SAUCER! IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S TAKING SAMPLES OF THIS FOREST!
WE'D BETTER STAY OUT OF HIS WAY OR HE'LL COLLECT US!
2

LOOK! HE'S RUNNING!
OH-OH! HE'S CHASING A CHIPMUNK!
HEE-HEE-HEE!
WHEW! IT RAN INTO THE HOLE!
HEY! HE'S GOING TO DIG UP THE HOLE!
I'D BETTER DIVERT HIS ATTENTION!
SCRATCH! SCRATCH!
BRAAAAAK!
N-NOW HE'S AFTER ME!
ZIP!
OHH! HE STOPPED TO PICK UP MY FLOWERS!
HEE HEE!
PLAPP!
RIP!


I'LL TRY A SPELL ON HIM SO HE WON'T TOUCH THEM OR ANYTHING ELSE!
SPELLS DON'T WORK ON HIM!
TING!
TZONGG!
PLAPP!
WHO'S THAT BIG BLOBBY GUY, WENDY?
I DON'T KNOW WHO HE IS, SPOOKY! BUT HE'S COLLECTING ALL KINDS OF CREATURES! HE'S FRIGHTENING!
PLAP!
I HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO STOP HIM! PERHAPS YOU CAN!
HOLD YOUR EARS, WENDY...
A-ONE-UH-A-TWO-UH...
BOOO!
HEE HEEEE
IT DIDN'T BOTHER HIM AT ALL!

CONTINUED IN THIS ISSUE...

Wendy
THE GOOD LITTLE WITCH
in DON'T STICK AROUND!
WENDY, I'M SCARED!
W-WE'VE GOT TO DO SOMETHING, SPOOKY!
TEE-HEE-HEE!
RIP!
LET ME SEE... IF MY HANDS WERE STICKY... WHAT WOULD I DO? I'D WASH MYSELF!
WATER! THAT'S THE ANSWER!
SNAP!
I BET YOU CAN'T COLLECT EVERYTHING!
OH, YES I CAN! SHOW ME SOMETHING YOU THINK I CAN'T COLLECT!

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WHAT'S THAT?
ROAR!
JUST STAND UNDER IT AND SEE IF YOU CAN GRAB IT!
STRANGE-LOOKING STUFF!
ROAR!
SPLASH!
I'M LOOSE!
SPLASH!
I'M LOOSE, TOO, AND SO IS EVERYTHING ELSE!
SO LONG, WENDY! I'M GOING TO HIDE FROM THAT MENACE!
2

I HAVE LOST ALL THE THINGS I COLLECTED!
SPLASH!
NOW I SHALL HAVE TO COLLECT AGAIN!
ROAR!
I SHALL STAY AWAY FROM THAT THING AS I GATHER MORE THINGS!
I KNOW WHAT I'LL DO!
STREAMS, SPLASH WATER ON THAT CREATURE SO ICKY, THEN HE'LL BECOME VERY UNSTICKY!!
TING
SPLOSH!
I MUST STAY AWAY FROM THAT SUBSTANCE! IT'S BAD FOR MY COLLECTION!
OH, NOW HE'S AVOIDING THE STREAMS!
PLAP!

HE'S NEAR THE MOUNTAIN WITH SNOW AND HE'S PICKED UP ANIMALS!
HOWL! SOB!
PLAP!
I'LL CAUSE IT TO MELT AND WASH AWAY THE CAPTIVES!
SLIDGE!
...OOOK!
PLOSH
SUFFERIN' METEORS! I'VE LOST MY STUCK-ON THINGS AGAIN!
THANKS, WENDY!
THANKS A LOT, WENDY!
I'VE GOT TO BE MIGHTY CAREFUL!
SHUCKS! HE ISN'T NEAR ANY WATER NOW!
4

PLEASE, CLOUDS, GIVE A CONTINUOUS RAIN. WE NEED YOUR HELP, SO DON'T REFRAIN!
POUR!
THIS TERRIBLE PLANET! I CAN'T HOLD ANYTHING ON ME WITH ALL THAT STUFF DROPPING DOWN!
HOORAY! HE LEFT!
RAIN, YOU MAY CEASE NOW! THANK YOU!
THANK YOU, WENDY!
OHH... DON'T MENTION IT!
OH, WE MUST MENTION IT, YOU MADE OUR CHILDREN CLEANER THAN THEY'VE EVER BEEN BEFORE!
TEE-HEE!!
THE END

THE GOOD LITTLE WITCH
Wendy
WITCH WORLD
I GUESS IT'S TIME I GOT HOME!
BUT AM I TIRED!
WHEW!
I DON'T KNOW WHY I WALKED SO FAR FROM HOME WITHOUT MY MAGIC BROOM!
BUT EITHER I WALK HOME OR TRY TO MAKE ONE!
NO POLE AROUND HERE! ONLY SOME TWIGS!
IDEA!! I'VE GOT SOME STRING! I'LL TIE THEM AROUND MY ANKLES AND...
...I'LL BE MY OWN BROOM!!
ZIP!
QUP!
SEEEOOSH!
THE END

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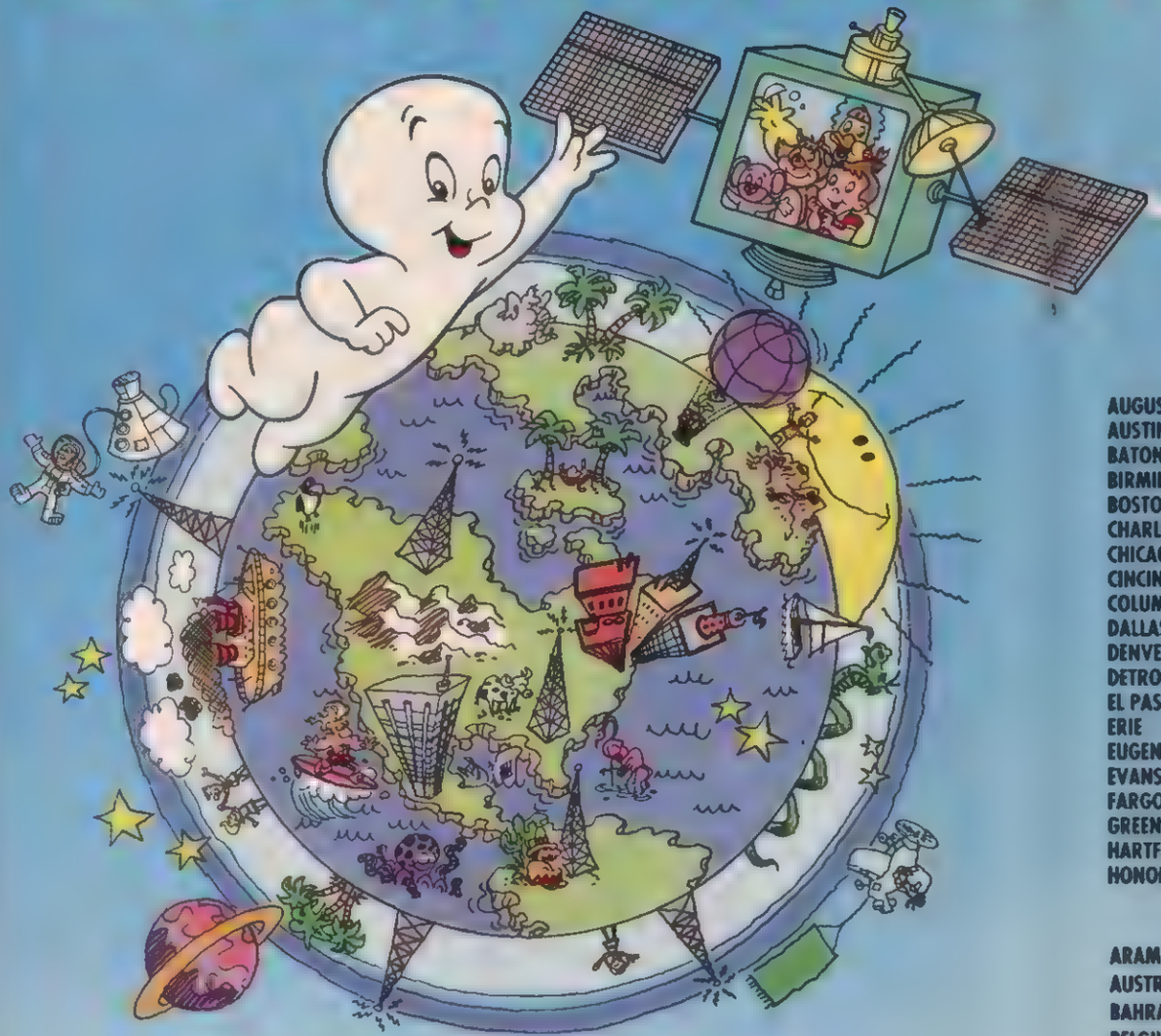

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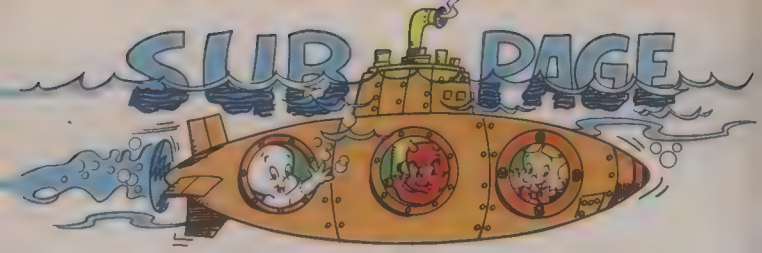

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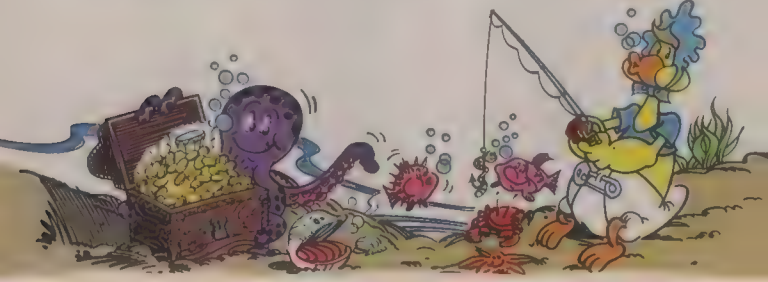

THE FRIENDLY GHOST
Casper
IN
FIRE FINGER
KEE-RASH!
GOSH... I SHOULD REMEMBER NOT TO STAND UP ON A MOUNTAIN WHEN THERE ARE THUNDER CLOUDS AROUND!
SAY...
HERE I ALWAYS ASK PEOPLE TO BE CAREFUL AND I MAKE SUCH A BOO BOO!
AM I HEADED IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION FOR GNOMEVILLE?
YES, SIR!
THANKS!
JUST STRAIGHT AHEAD!
ZAP!
1

?
?
?
?
?
CHEEE... I DON'T SEE WHY YOU HAVE TO HURRY ME ALONG IN SUCH A RUDE WAY!
L-LIGHTNING G-SHOT RIGHT OUT OF MY FINGER!
SPLASH!
I'LL TEST MY FINGER ON THAT DRY WEED!
CRACK!
G-GOSH!
SIZZ!
I'M A FIRE HAZARD!
STOMP!
STOMP!
GETTING STRUCK BY THAT BIG BOLT OF LIGHTNING HAS GIVEN ME A STRANGE POWER!
2

MAYBE IT WILL GO AWAY IF I JUST REST A BIT!
?
OH...WHAT AN ITCH!
I'LL TURN INVISIBLE AND SCRATCH HIS BACK BETTER THAN THAT TREE WILL!
SCRATCH! SCRATCH!
CRACK!
YEOW!
SPLASH!
G-GULP! I'VE GOT TO BE SUPER-CAREFUL!
I'VE GOT AN UNWANTED SUPER POWER!
3

OH...A WHEEL!
I LIKE TO SPIN WHEELS!
CRACK!
CRASH!
GROINK!
HI, CASPER!
WENDY! I JUST SAW THE BIGGEST BULL FROG I'VE EVER SEEN!
HOW BIG?
CRACK
CRACK
CRACK
CRACK!
CRACK
CRACK!
CRACK!
OH...AT LEAST THAT BIG!
4

WH- WHAT HAPPENED? ALL THOSE FLASHES COMING FROM YOUR FINGERS!
LUCKILY I DIDN'T SET ANYTHING ON FIRE! PLEASE WENDY... CAN YOU GET THIS LIGHTNING ABILITY OUT OF MY FINGERS?
ALL RIGHT... ATCHA-BOOLA-GAZA-GLINGERS... LIGHTNING POWERS LEAVE HIS FINGERS!
THANKS, WENDY... MY FINGERS DON'T SHOOT LIGHTNING ANYMORE! I'LL SEE YOU AROUND!
WHEW... AN EXPERIENCE LIKE THAT IS TIRING!
HO HUM... I THINK I'LL TAKE A NAP!
CRACK!
CRACK!
GASP! NOW IT'S COMING FROM MY ELBOWS?! I'M GOING TO WENDY AND ASK HER TO GET RID OF THE LIGHTNING FROM MY WHOLE BODY!
THE END

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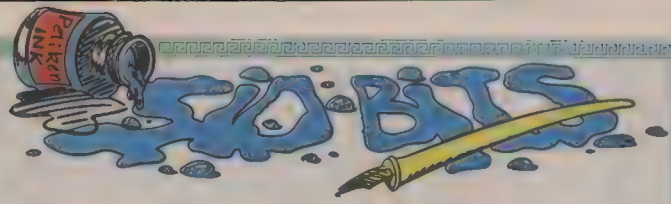
the tuff little ghost
Spooky
and THE BOO-O-METER
BOO
I WONDER IF THAT'S THE BEST HE CAN BOO!
HAW HAW HAW! I BET THOSE CLAMS AND LOBSTERS NEVER THOUGHT THEY'D TRAVEL THAT FAST!
AHEM!
NOW PLEASE DO NOT BOO US!
HUH?
WE'D RATHER YOU BOO INTO THIS!
WHY?
WE'RE BOO-TESTERS!
AND THIS IS A BOO-O-METER!
1

WE'RE OUT TO HELP GHOSTS REALIZE HOW BOO-FUL THEY ARE!
OH!
WHAT DO I DO?
JUST PUT YOUR MOUTH INTO THIS THING AND BOO!
HMMM!
HMM! HMM!
ONLY A FAIR RATING FOR YOU!
ONLY A FAIR RATING? ME?!!
SORRY...
WAIT! DON'T GO! LET ME BOO AGAIN!
WELL... ALL RIGHT!
2

I'M SORRY BUT IT STILL ISN'T VERY STRONG...YOU NEED A REST!
R-REST, EH? WELL, I'M GLAD I FOUND OUT IN TIME!
I REALLY THOUGHT MY BOOS WERE THE CAT'S PAJAMAS!
HA HA HA!
HEE HEE HEE! WE SURE FOOLED HIM!
WE CAN MAKE REAL USE OF THIS GHOST-BOO COLLECTOR I INVENTED!
LIKE NOW!
YEAH, THEY LOOK PROSPEROUS! PUT IN YOUR ANTI-BOO EAR PLUGS!
BOO
3

WHAT A GHAWSTLY SOUND!
I'M SHIVERING 'ORRIBLY!
M-ME TOO!
THEY SHIVERED OFF A LOT OF LOOT!
LET'S COUNT OUR HAUL IN THAT SHACK BEFORE WE LOOK FOR THAT SPOOK AND CON HIM INTO BOOING AGAIN!
GOSH! I HAVEN'T BOOED FOR ABOUT 10 MINUTES... AND THAT'S A LONG TIME!
I'VE GOT TO FIND THAT GADGET AND PROVE THAT I CAN REALLY BOO BETTER THAN 'FAIR'!
THERE IT IS!
I'VE BUILT UP SUCH A BOO RESOLVE STRENGTH I CAN HARDLY HOLD IT!

I DON'T SEE THEM AROUND BUT I'LL LET 'ER GO!
WHEW! WHAT A RELIEF TO GET IT OUT?
OHH! IT'S COASTING! BUT THAT SHED WILL STOP IT!
BOOOO
HELP US!
H-HEY! THERE ARE THOSE BANDITS!
SOMEHOW OR OTHER, I FIND MYSELF VERY CONFIDENT ABOUT MY BOO-MANSHIP!



In answer to so many of your queries, I thought I'd use my column this month to talk about the creation of some Harvey comic book characters.

Many of you have written in asking who created Richie Rich and Casper and Hot Stuff and Wendy and each and every one of the Harvey characters.

Well, for the most part, their creation was the collaboration of several people, as I would guess most comic book creations have been and are. In addition, the strength of a comic book character doesn't end with merely its creation. That's simply where it begins. The development of that character is more important than its creation.

Having said that, let me relate Casper the Friendly Ghost's history. A very wonderful and talented man named Joe Oriolo is given credit as having created Casper during the late 1940s. This, despite the fact that a terrific artist named Seymour Reit is said to have made the first drawings of Casper for Joe Oriolo.

Well for years Casper was done as an animated short for Paramount Pictures and as a comic book for a company called St. John's. Neither was very popular and neither, frankly, was that good. Casper's enormous and world-wide popularity did not begin until Harvey Comics took over the character and refashioned him for both comics and animated films.

Casper became a different character under Harvey tutelage—which also created characters such as Spooky, Wendy, Nightmare and the Ghostly Trio. Casper's change in look came from Warren Kremer, the master artist I've often mentioned, who transformed him from a peanut-shaped character to the friendly ghost we all recognize today. The story content and style came from writers such as Jim Miele, Ralph Newman and Stan Kay. (And, I'm delighted to add, I was the editor during all those years.)

It's impossible for me to remember who created what. I guess we didn't know at that time what soon-to-be-famous characters we were creating.

It didn't really matter at the time who created what, but my guess is that we all took a hand in it.

I will say this, however: In his visual form, no one had more to do with Casper and the way we know him than Warren Kremer. No one had more to do with the fabulous background and the other characters that make up that world. And in regards to stories, it was Jim Miele's writing style—and his way with a fable—that gave Casper the sensitivity and the depth that has become the character's trademark.

I don't mean to belittle Casper's original creation. Without that, there would be nothing but a blank page, and the people who enhanced Casper couldn't work from a blank page. But it was the development of Casper that turned a dead little boy into a fantasy creature who had been born a ghost. And it was the development of Casper that turned a graveyard site into a haunted house built in a place called the Enchanted Forest. And it was the development of Casper that created Spooky, Wendy, Nightmare, The Ghostly Trio and all those other characters that made Casper...Casper.

I'll stop for now. On another day, I'll talk more about some of the other characters, some of the other creators and some very different stories.

I'm sure I will receive a great deal of mail regarding the above comments. I welcome it. In fact, we welcome any and all of your comments.

See you next time.

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and we get letters...

Dear Little Dot,
I love reading comics, especially your comics. I have a shirt that has a picture of you, and on the top it says Little Dot. I have a collection of all different comics. The stack is about 21 lines on a piece of paper high.
Love, April Ringelstetter, age 9
Baraboo, WI

Dear April,
Thank you for the kind words, April, and thank you for sending them on such pretty stationary! I really like the flowers that were on the paper since in the middle of every flower is a dot! Also, there are three holes punched on the side of the paper, and they're also in the shape of dots! Dots always bring me good luck, and this time they had a great fan like you write me!
Your friend, Dot

Dear Casper and Wendy,
I really enjoy your books. When I am bored, I take out the books to read them. I'm not the only one who reads them. My sisters Carol and Karen read them too. One of them doesn't know how to read, but she looks at the pictures. I got four books. One is Woody Woodpecker, one is Casper, one is Wendy, and one is Richie Rich. I'm glad that Casper is a kind ghost instead of a mean one. Wendy is kind too, but I don't like Wendy's aunties.
Jenny Mac, age 9,
Australia

Dear Jenny,
Wendy's aunties can be a little tough to put up with sometimes, Jenny, but just be glad there are only three of them! Wendy likes living with her auties because that way she can keep them out of trouble! (Every once in while she has to cast a perfume smell so their brew doesn't smell up the entire enchanted forest!) We're glad your little sister likes the pictures in our comic books, but why don't you read to her while she looks at the pictures? Reading a Harvey comic book is one of best ways to teach your sister how to read!
Your friend, Casper

Dear Harvey Comics,
I like your comics, especially Richie Rich, Little Dot, Wendy, Casper and Spooky. Speaking of Spooky, how does he disappear?
One of your fans,
Dalarie Peters, age 9 1/2
Bethel, Alaska

Dear Dalarie,
Disappearing isn't too difficult, Dalarie, it's appearing that takes some work! Ghosts are naturally invisible, we just turn visible when we want our friends to see us! Casper has so many friends that he stays visible almost all of the time! Now if Casper and I lived in the Great White North with all that snow like you do, Dalarie, nobody would ever be able to see us!
Your pal, Spooky

Dear Wendy,
I live on a houseboat in Yellowknife in Canada. I am 6 years old and everyday I wonder how many uncles you have. I have 6 uncles. The girl I'm going to marry is called Nico. She kissed me on my school bus on the way to school. I made my mom two earrings, but she lost one so I made her two new earrings today. I like reading your comics.
Love, Michael McGovern
Yellowknife, Canada

Dear Michael,
I know I have at least three aunties, Michael, but I'm not sure how many uncles I have! Why don't you start counting them as you see them in my comic! By the way, did you know that a boy witch is called a "warlock"! Now I have a question for you, Michael: Do you ever get seasickness when you go to sleep at night? Thanks for writing, and don't forget to say "Hi!" to Nico from me!
Your friend, Wendy

Dear Richie,
I love your comics! I just got through reading one about five minutes ago, and it was great. There is a boy on my street who claimed he was your twin brother. He looks just like you! Do you have a brother?
Your best #1 fan, Steven Hicks
Texarkana, TX

Dear Steven,
I don't have a twin brother, Steven, but my tricky cousin Reggie is always coming up with costumes and robots that look just like me! I've always wanted a brother or sister, but my mom and dad decided to get me Dollar instead! Thanks for the letter, Steven, but remember, if you see someone who looks likes me—look out! Cousin Reggie is probably behind it!
Your friend, Richie

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